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THE END COMES

Peacefully to Vice President Hobart.

Heart Failure the Cause—Surrounded at the Last by His Family.

HIS DEATH NO SURPRISE

Though in All Circles it Caused the Sincerest Sorrow.

THE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

Garret A. Hobart, Vice President of the United States, died at his home in Paterson, N. J., at 8:30 o'clock last Tuesday morning. At his bedside were Mrs. Hobart, and his son, Garret A. Hobart, Jr., together with Dr. William K. Newton and his wife and private Secretary.

Mr. Hobart's death had been expected for some hours. The beginning of the end came Monday afternoon, when there was a sudden failure of the heart, and from this attack Mr. Hobart never rallied. He had been sick for a long time, and had suffered frequently from heart failure and his strength had been undermined. Gradually the failure of the heart's action became more apparent and soon after midnight Mr. Hobart became unconscious. He remained in that condition until his death, when he was surrounded by his family and his physician.

MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCE.

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foreign nations in this country sent messages of sympathy to Mrs. Hobart. One of the first to express his sorrow at the death of Vice President was President McKinley, who had been notified by telephone by Private Secretary Evans.

NO SUCCESSION.

By the death of Mr. Hobart the office of Vice President of the United States becomes vacant for the rest of President McKinley's term as the law provides no succession. A President pro tempore of the Senate will be elected by that body when Congress assembles, who will hold the office until March, 1901. By the law the succession to the Presidency of the United States in the event of vacancy, falls upon the Vice President, and in the event of the latter's death to the Secretary of the Treasury, then the Secretary of War and down through the list of Cabinet officers in order to precedence fixed by act of Congress when the death of Vice President Hendricks disclosed the necessity of such a provision.

Senator Wm. P. Frye, of Maine, is now President pro tempore of the Senate. He will call that body to order when it assembles on December 4 and preside until a successor is chosen. That he will succeed himself is generally conceded.

J. D. Bridges, Editor "Democrat," Lancaster, N. H., says, "One Minute Cough Cure, the best remedy for croup ever used." Immediately relieves and cures coughs, colds, croup, asthma, pneumonia, bronchitis, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. It prevents constipation.

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Politics as a Business.

A good joke which Congressman John Allen is supposed to have sprung on himself during the recent Mississippi Senatorial campaign is now going the rounds. He is reported to have been telling about a visit to his old home, where he met one of the old family servants.

"Lawdy, Mars John, I'm glad to see ye," said one old negro, "an' so glad to know dat you're still got yer same old posibuhun."

"What's that?" asked Mr. Allen.

"Whv, runnin' for office, o' cose."

Memphis Scimitar.

War of Old Men.

The New York World calls attention to the fact that the South African war is almost exclusively conducted by old men on both sides. Joubert, Jan Kock, Chonje and Albrecht, on the Boer side, are all graybeards. Buller, Symons, White, Yule, on the English side, are all men well advanced in years, the grizzled veterans of many small wars. Some of them have records that go back to the Crimean campaign. Col. Baden-Powell, at Mafeking, is the only young commander in sight.

Geo. Noland, Rockland, O., says, "My wife had piles forty years. De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured her. It is the best salve in America." It heals everything and cures all skin diseases.

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PRINCE OF JAPAN

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Chicago engineers are designing an earthquake-proof steel palace for the Crown Prince of Japan. The Imperial Government has appropriated \$3,000,000 for its erection.

Around the skeleton of beams and bars will be built a house of granite and marble expected to eclipse in beauty of design anything the Orient has ever known. The palace will adjoin the royal home of the Mikado in Tokyo, and it will spread to extreme dimensions of 270 by 400 feet, rising to a height of 60 feet. Chief Architect of the Imperial Household Department of Japan visited America during the fall to get contracts.

Richard D. Gottlieb, a young Chicagoan, will go to Tokyo early next year to superintend the installation. Another Chicago engineer was called upon to map out an elaborate heating and ventilating plant. In addition to these American brains will also contribute an ice manufacturing and electric light system.

Steel construction, with its rigid elasticity, is expected to revolutionize the building industry in the Mikado's land, where earthquakes have on several occasions played havoc with structures supposedly solid. The new palace will rest on 400 deeply anchored steel columns imbedded in concrete piers.—Chicago Record.

Dr. W. Wixon, Italy Hill, N. Y., says, "I heartily recommend One Minute Cough Cure. It gave my wife immediate relief in suffocating asthma." Pleasant to take. Never fails to quickly cure all coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles.

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The London (Eng.) Daily Chronicle of Tuesday in its "War Diary" said:

"We have made inquiries in quarters not likely to be influenced by rumors, and we find there are suspicious that of some of the meat supplied to the Government for use on British transports was meat that had been rejected by the United States during the hostilities in Cuba, where it was known as 'embalmed beef,' and relabeled with the mark of the current year."

There's Many a Slip.

Toffer—Have a cigar, old boy. I'm afraid, though, these are not very good. In fact, they may be worse than those I gave you last.

Friend (in a burst of politeness)—Impossible, my dear boy, impossible.—N. Y. Weekly.

SUSAN B. ANTHONY

Explains Her Position Regarding the Anti-Polygamy Movement.

No person could abhor polygamy more than myself, but I detest even more the license taken by men under the loose morals existing in what the Mormons call the Gentile world. The point is not that I uphold polygamy, or any of its exponents, but I do feel more charity for a Mormon when he transgresses the laws of the land, when he has been taught from his birth that it is not only his right, but his duty to God, to enter into plural marriage, and that the man who has the greatest number of wives stands highest in God's favor than I do for the man who has been taught from his cradle that the unpardonable sin is the desertion of womanhood. His religious training and the moral code of civilization in which he is reared all make it a crime for a man to violate the seventh commandment or the established law of monogamy.

Yet, judging from the testimony to see all about us—our Doors of Hope, our lying-in and founding hospitals, and our fallen womanhood—the married or single man who lives a pure life is rare. Therefore I have more respect for the Mormon polygamist, who follows his teachings and lives up to the traditions of his religious sect by marrying the different women with whom he lives, supporting them and their children, than I do for the man who defies public opinion and in the light of our advanced civilization and religious moral teaching gives his name and his support to one openly while secretly desecrating the lives of other women, thus committing a crime against his lawful wife as well as the other woman or women whom he wrongs. If he has no wife the sin is as great against morality, and he should suffer equally with the woman.

Therefore, while abhorring the principles of polygamy, I think the wives and the mothers of the East might better enter a crusade against the immorality existing all around us and polluting our manhood, and leave it to our law makers to settle the matter of Robert's fitness to be their associate in Congress.

If women would require the same moral purity in man that men require in women, and if mothers would refuse to entertain in their homes or give their sweet, virtuous young daughters to men whom they know to have transgressed the moral code, society would soon undergo a purification—a revolution. If our women would take this decided stand it would strike the strongest, most decisive blow at polygamy, for the root of the two evils—polygamy in Utah and immorality in the East—is the same thing, and nothing but the highest moral teaching and the example of pure lives can blot out either.

THIRD LADY

Of the Land Is Admiral Dewey's Wife.

Anxious to Take the Hero Into Society.

THE ADMIRAL IN CHURCH.

Young George May Marry and Occupy the Nation's Gift.

The matter of social precedence at Washington is agitating the gossips. Authorities on official etiquette say that the President's wife is first, Vice President's wife second, wife of Sir Julian Pauncefote third, and the wife of the Admiral fourth. The death of Hobart advances Lady Pauncefote one number and makes Mrs. Dewey the third lady in the land.

It seems certain the Admiral's wife intends to take a plunge into society with her hero. Dewey has already taken steps to become a vestryman in St. John's Episcopal Church. St. John's is an open door to society. The first Sunday Dewey was in Washington he passed the plate at St. John's, and will sub for absent vestryman at every opportunity. He will be put on regular as soon as the chance occurs.

MRS. DEWEY'S RELIGION.

Mrs. Dewey is now a Catholic. She may rejoin the Episcopal Church. Mrs. Dewey has sworn allegiance to three different denominations.—Presbyterian, Episcopal and Catholic.

The next Sunday sensation will be marriage of young George. He may live in the Dewey home, while the Admiral is to live in Mrs. Dewey's handsome home on K Street. Dewey says he himself will occupy the gift house, but Mrs. Dewey's mansion will be much better for state functions.

WANTS TO ENTER POLITICS.

Besides her social aim, Mrs. Dewey is determined to enter a political campaign. One evidence of this has already occurred. It was embodied in Crowninshield's version of the Manila affair, to the effect that there is no proof that Manila bay was filled with torpedoes and mines. The report intimates that the act of entering the harbor of Manila looses much of its heroism. The Admiral retorted with a sharp letter to the Secretary of the Navy, stating that hereafter he desired to be the sole historian of the Manila fight. He was informed that his wishes would be respected, and the Crowninshield report was withdrawn.

Dr. H. H. Haden, Summit, Ala., says, "I think Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is splendid medicine. I prescribe it on my confidence in it grows with continued use." It digests what you eat and quickly cures dyspepsia and indigestion.

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